# AFRICA.

Karasko via London.

Departure of the Herald Expedition in Quest of Sir Samuel Baker.

HALT AT KARASKO.

Preparing to Cross the Desert and Strike for the Fifth Cataract.

Baker Reported Safe and Well at Khartoum.

Success of the English Engineers in the Soudan.

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The Leader of the Undertaking Confident of Success.

Details of the Preparations for the Passage of the Desert.

The Gathering Together of the Caravan.

PERILS OF THE FUTURE.

Slave Traders and Ivory Dealers Threatening and Hostile.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

The HERALD correspondent at London has forwarded us the following important special -despatch :-LONDON, Jan. 18, 1872.

A despatch just received from Karasko, Africa, dated 16th inst., via Alexandria, gives details of the departure of the HERALD special exploring expedition in quest of Sir Samuel

Having left Cairo with full supplies, the expedition reached Karasko on the 16th of January. Here a halt was necessarily made, in order to prepare for the passage of the desert-a tedious and perilous journey that will take eight days, even if everything should go well. This is the very lowest estimate of the time that will be occupied in crossing an unbroken waste of arid sand, destitute of water and unrelieved by a single oasis. So long, however, as the HERALD commissioner bas only to struggle against these inanimate difficulties little need be feared. It will be the after journey among barbarous, treacherous and inhospitable peoples during which the graver perils of the undertaking will have to be encountered.

at Moorabus Hammed (?) and then take a straight course for the fifth cataract.

Already the commander of the expedition had busied himself actively in providing for the transportation of himself and his necessarily extensive baggage. Four fast riding dromedaries and fifty draught camels were to be bought, and in the course of a week or so this would doubtless be accomplished, though the task of assembling them together and completing the bargains with the natives is slow business. Even American energy fails to push things through under such circumstances with a comfortable degree of speed.

At Karasko the expedition has been met with news of good omen. Though no authentic basis could be found for the tidings, rumors had arrived at that point to the effect that Sir Samuel Baker was well in health. though his expedition had suffered greatly both in numbers and discipline. This report is perhaps as unreliable as that other gloomier news recently received, that he had either been killed or dangerously wounded in a mutiny among his forces. Shadowy as may be its foundation, bowever, it served to kindle into a brighter flame the enthusiastic hopes and strengthen into added resolution the determined energy of the expedition.

This report, however, has somewhat of an authentic appearance, from its having assumed an air of geographical consistency. It places Sir Samuel Baker as again, or, perhaps, one might say still, at Khartoum. This, after all, would square very well with the other rumor. That would certainly be the point for which Sir Samuel would make had his undertaking become involved in serious difficulties.

The HERALD expedition has been afforded every assistance by the Vicercy and bis Ministers, and the thanks of the civilized world are due to them for the cheerful and enlightened manner in which they have thus seconded an undertaking which, without valinglorious boasting, may fairly claim to be a mission of humanity. Livingstone and Baker will doubtless both be found; at least, the prospects of such a happy consummation of the Herald expeditions may now be confidently expected.

Some danger is already threatened between

the fifth cataract and Khartonm by the jealous hostility of the slave traders and ivory dealers. The traffickers in human flesh and blood have a wholesome dislike to these com-Herald Special Report from paratively unknown nations being brought prominently before the notice of the world; they judge correctly that the less known about them by the freedom-loving peoples of Christendom the better.

The English railway surveyers in the Soudan, it is also reported, have also nearly brought to a successful termination their special exploring expedition.

### ENGLAND.

Citizen Congratulation to the Crown on the Recovery of the Prince-Thanksgiving in the Churches-Electioneering Speech at Sheffield-The Bullion Supply.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Jan. 18, 1872. Queen Victoria yesterday received deputations from the inhabitants of Osborne, who presented ad-dresses congratulating Her Majesty and expressing their "joy at the recovery of His Highness the Prince of Wales from his dangerous illness."

GENERAL THANKSGIVING IN THE CHURCHES. A supplement to the Gazette announces that the 21st inst. will be observed in all the churches as a day of thanksgiving for the restoration to health of An official thanksgiving will take place in St.

Paul's church about the 20th of February. Queen Victoria hopes to attend.

POLITICAL PRONOUNCEMENT. Mr. John Arthur Roebuck, formerly member of Parliament for Bath, and subsequently for Sheffieldthe "rear-em" of the House of Commons-delivered an address at Sheffield yesterday. He made no allusion to American affairs.

SURIOUS EXPLOSION IN A CARTRIDGE PACTORY. A terrible explosion occurred in a cartridge facory in Greenwich at a late hour in the afternoon. The clothing of a number of girls employed in the factory took fire and they rushed shricking through the town into the surrounding marshes in hopes of quenching the flames. The factory was totally destroyed.

THE FLOW OF BULLION. The bullion in the Bank of England has increased £33,000 during the week.

#### FRANCE.

The Raw Material Tariff Tax Difficulty and Kow It May Be Arranged-Indignation Against the Press Law-Plan for a Trade Monapoly to the Rothschilds-Anxiety to Pay Off the Germans-The Murders of Prussian Soldiers.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

Telegrams from Versailles, dated to-day, state that a compromise will probably be made in the Assembly on the bill for taxing raw material. It is understood that England is pleaged not to raise the duties on French wines imported into that country, whatever may be the result of the tariff controversy here.

INDIGNATION AND EXCITEMENT AGAINST THE PRESS The suppression of the newspapers, Gaulois and Constitution, is exciting indignation among the

THE WAR INDEMNITY FUND FOR GERMANY The people of France are active in their exertions to relieve the country from the presence of German troops. Throughout all the departments money is being subscribed towards paying the indebtedness

to Germany. A MONEY CHANCE FOR THE ROTHSCHILDS. The Courier of France says the government is considering the idea of ceding the monopoly for the sale of tobacco to the Rothschilds and several other bankers for a period of thirty years, upon the condition that they will furnish sufficient funds to immediately pay the German war indemnity.

CONFESSION OF THE MURDER OF A PRUSSIAN. The assassin of the Prussian soldier at Luneville, a few days since, was a man named Cremel. He has been arrested at Chalon-sur-Saone and confesses to having committed the deed. Several petitions have already been sent to President Thiers asking him to pardon the prisoner.

### GERMANY.

Imperial Honor by Knightly Decoration-Speech of "William the Victorious."

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BERLIN, Jan. 18, 1872. At a meeting of the Berlin Chapter of the Knights of the Black Eagle yesterday Prince Arthur of England and Generals Herwart von Bittenfeld and Baron Monteuffer were invested with the Order of the Emperor William. "WILLIAM THE VICTORIOUS" TO THE MEMBERS OF

The annual banquet of the Prussian Order of the Black Eagle was given to-day upon the anniversary of the establishment of the order by Frederick First in 1701

The attendance was quite large, including many members of the royal family and the most promi nent of the noblemen of the empire. The Emperor William was the cnie! speaker. In his remarks alluded to the fact that the occasion was that of a double anniversary-viz., of the coronation of the first Prussian King and of his own assumption of the imperial crown of Germany. Among the interesting incidents of the banquet was a toast given by the Bavarian Minister to the Emperor William, the Victorious,"

### AUSTRIA.'

Ministerial Sentiment Towards the Holy See and Cabinet Comment on the Condition of the Pope.

TELECPAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

VIENNA, Jan. 18, 1872 Count Von Andrassy received a deputation of Roman Catholics to-day, and in reply to their address declared "that the Pope was under no constraint, as was shown by the recent appointment by him of some thirty bisnops." The relations between Austria and Italy are, he said, on a good foot-He knew of no Catholic power which could be ustified in offering the Pope an asylum.

### AUSTRIA AND AMERICA.

The Trademark Convedtion with the United States in Parliament.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

VIENNA, Jan. 18, 1872. The Frademark Convention between Austria and the United States has been submitted to the Diet at Peath for ratification on the part of the kingdom of

### RUSSIA.

The Sovernment Budget and Satisfactory Condition of the Treasury.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW TORK HERALD.

St. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18, 1872. The Budget, which has been submitted by the Minister of Finance to the Council of the Empire. shows that during the past year the receipts have exceeded the expenditures by 400,000 rubles,

### ROME.

Herald Special Report from the Capital of Italy.

The Pope Seized with Sudden Illness and Confined to Bed.

A Pontifical Reception Postponed.

TELECRAM TO THE NEW YORK HESALD. The following special despatch to the HERALD has been received from our corre-

spondent in the capital of Italy :-ROME, Jan. 18, 1872. His Holiness Pope Pius the Ninth was taken ill suddenly on Wednesday, the 17th inst. He retired to bed, being affected with a cough,

dangerous character. A Pontifical reception which he proposed to hold at the Vatican yesterday has been postponed in consequence of his indisposition.

but it is thought that the malady is not of a

The Pope was born on the 13th of May, in the year 1792, so that he is on the eve of the completion of the eightieth year of his age.

#### SPAIN.

Conference of the Chief of the Cabinet with the Ex-Regent Serrano-Government Policy Towards the International Society.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

MADRID, Jan. 18, 1872. Prime Minister Sagasta and the ex-Regent, Mar shal Serrano, are to have a conference to-day. Much importance is attached to this meeting. EXECUTIVE TREATMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

King Amadeus' government bas forwarded a circular note to the Governors of provinces instructing them to suppress all organizations belonging to or in any way connected with the International Society within their respective jurisdictions. While thus breaking up a system dangerous to civil peace," they are directed not to interfere with liberty of speech of individuals, and to take no notice of the simple enunciation of the principles of the International Society, as "the laws of Spain provide no punishment for such utter-

#### INDIA.

The Looshias' Revolt Promptly Suppressed-Rapid March of British Troops-A Severe Battle and European Triumph-The English Commands and Armament.

> TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. LONDON, Jan. 18, 1872.

A dangerous revolt among the Loosnias of India has been suppressed.

At the first signs of trouble troops were de spatched from Delhi. They marched direct to the headquarters of the rebeis, whom they met in large force, but completely defeated, killing one hundred and taking several nundred prisoners. The rebels have dispersed and the country is now perfectly tranquil.

The British Expedition-Its Force and Com-

The revolt of the Looshals, a serious affair at the noment, has afforded to Lord Napier of Magdala and to the Viceroy of India an opportunity of making a decisive military movement in Asia, and of turning the tide of native disaffection to a positive re productive account in the name of the Queen of of England. The war is not likely to terminate with the English victory which we announce today by cable, but may develope into a general military action, not only against the kindred tribes of the Loohais throughout the Eastern Bengal fron-

The British expedition, of which mention is made The British expedition, of which mention is made to-day, marched from different points simultaneously on the 1st of December. It proceeded in two columns-one from Cachar, approaching the hill men from the northwest, and the other from Chitagong, so as to approach them from the southeast. The Cachar column was commanded by brigadier General Bourcher, with Lieutenant Colonel Roberts as Quartermaster General, and was composed of the Twenty-second, Porty-second and Forty-fourth native infantry. The Chitagong column was under the command of Colonel Charles Brownlow, with Captain C. J. East as Assistant Auartermaster General, and composed of the Second and Fourth Ghoorka regiments and Twenty-seventh native infantry. All the regiments had Endeld rifles. Half a Punjaub mountain battery, with two mortars and a company of sappers ments and Enteld files. Half a Punjaub mountain battery, with two mortars and a company of sappers and miners was "attached to each column." This armament was ample for all combative purposes; but the troops were severely tested by marching and exposure, and the soldierly qualities of endurance, mutual support, firmness and discretion called into play almost hourly. The plan of operation aims to close in the whole of the supposed minimical hill tribes, Looshais and others.

## THE WAR IN MEXICO.

Preparations for the Attack of Mazatlan by the Troops of Juarez.

TELECHAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18, 1872. The Mexican federal General Corona is preparing to attack Mazatlan by land and sea, and will, no doubt, defeat the rebeis. All of Oaxaca and

### Queretaro are in the possession of the federal au-CUBA.

thoraties.

Arrival of Troops from Spain-Commercial Intelligence.

TELECPAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

HAVANA, Jan. 18, 1872. A battalion of riflemen arrived this morning from Spain. The steamship Columbia, from New York, arrived

this morning. Exchange-On United States, sixty days' sight, in currency, 2 per cent premium; short sight, 334 a 4 per cent premium; on London, 234 per cent pre.

Large contracts for molasses continue to be made at Matanzas.

### UTAH.

The Bill in Reference to Framing a State Constitution-A Law of Marriage-Masonic Installation. SALP LAKE CITY, Jan. 18, 1872.

In the Council to-day a substitute for the House bill to elect delegates to a convention to prepare for the admission of Utah as a State, which provides for election of two delegates to the Republican Na-tional Convention, was considered in Committee of the Whole and made the Special order for to-mor-

A committee was appointed to consider the necessity of a law on marriage and to report a bill.

The officers of the Grand Lodge of Utah were installed last night with imposing ceremonies. Sucordinate lodges are to be organized immediately at Provo Corrinne and other places,

Immense quantities of ore and builton are coming in from the mining districts.

THE SITUATION IN NEW ORLEANS.

the situation remains unchanged.

There was no quorum in the Senate to-day, and

THE PACIFIC COAST.

The Magdalana Bay Affair Cleared Up-The

Embassy. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18, 1872. A despatch from Guayamas via Tuison says Governor Perquiera, of Sonora, sent 1,200 men to Sina-loa to assist the Pederal authorities to recapture

Mazatlan.
Captain Pheips, of the United States steamer Saranac, who was ordered to Magdalena to invest gate the expulsion of American colonists, reported by Drake DeKay, reports that, after a full investigation, he finds no cause whatever for such gation, he finds no cause whatever for such a charge. No such expuision took place, and no acts of hostnity against Americans were committed either by the Mexican authorities or citizens. The Japanese Emnassy are visiting the schools, factories, and other points of interest in the city. There will be a grand military parade in their honor on Saturday next, and a ball on Tuesday. The Japanese Minster of Justice visited the Fourth The Japanese Minister of Justice visited the Fourth District Court yesterday and was invited to a sea-with the Judge on the bench. He understands English and was greatly interested in the pro-

## STATE LEGISLATURES.

#### MASSACHUSETTS.

The Question of Employing the Savings of the People-The Percentage To Be Allowed to Banks Receiving the Money.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18, 1872. In the Massachusetts House to-day an order wa adopted directing the Committee on Banks and Banking to consider the expediency of prohibiting savings banks from receiving brokerage or fees for loans made on interest other than that specified in the note given for a loan; also of providing that the maximum rate of interest on loans from savings banks shall not exceed seven per cent per an

Joint Resolution of the Bouse to Congress to Recover \$500.0 0 from the General Govermaest-Pratection to Railroad Corpora-

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan 18, 1872. In the House this morning the Committee on Ratiroads were requested to prepare a bilt which shall have the effect of doing away with the present system of discrimination made in charges to

freight and passengers on ratiroa is in Ohio. A joint resolution was introduced in the House this afternoon asking the Ohio representatives in Congress to use their influence to secure legislation that will recover from the general government \$300,000 due Ohio as part of the three per cent on sales of public lanos in Onio, granted by Congress to Ohio in hea of taxes on unsold rands. Bills were introduced to protect stockholders of raticoad companies by application ast freight lines; also to authorize directors of raticoads to purchase

stock and bonds of such radicads at less than par vaine, provided that the consent of three-toorths of the stockholders is first obtained.

#### SOUTH CAROLINA.

Joint Session of the Legislature for the Elec tion of Supreme and District Court Judges-Williard and Five of the Circuit Judges Re-

COLUMBIA, Jan. 18, 1872. The Legislature met in joint session to-day for the purpose of electing one Associate Justice of the Supreme Court and eight Circuit Judges.

Williard, the present Associate Justice, was re elected to the Supreme Court; also Judges Orr Moses, Millon, Green and Graham to five districts. The re-elected Justices are to serve four years addi-Townsend, chosen for the Fourth district, and

Maner, who is to preside in the Second, are both conservatives.
Thomas J. Mackey, brother of the Collector of Thomas J. Mackey, brother of the Cohector of the Charleston, has been elected to the benen of the Sixth District Court. This is known and recognized as the Ku Kiux district, and has been so represented to the new officer. He says he tears nothing from the orizinization, and will soon make the district safe for colored people to live in.

#### MISSOURI.

Sr. Louis, Jan. 18, 1872. The resolution directing the payment of the State bonds maturing this year in currency instead of

### THE MARYLAND SENATORSEIP.

Den oeratie Crucus Last Night-Sketch of His Public Career-Governor Whyte Staved Off with a Promise Two Years Abend.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 18, 1872. There has been an unlooked for change in the political aspect of affairs here to-day. The mention of the name of Philip Francis Thomas in connection with the Senatorship, who was refused admission to the Senate in 1866, at the joint session of the Legislature yesterday, seemed to rave thrown consternation into the ranks of those who have been manipulating the wires in the interest of other cancidates. It has not been the programme that the election should take place for some time to come; but lear was entertained that

Thomas might prove

A FORMIDABLE OPPONENT. and it was determined this morning to push the thing to a speedy termination. The Legislature convened in joint session at twelve o'clock; took one ballot and adjourned, with the understanding that a caucus snould be held for nomination of United States Senator this evening at eight o'clock. It was also rumored at the time of the adjourn ment that the knowing ones, who had been canvassing the prospects, had decided that the election of Governor Whyte, which was the first programme, would cause great dissatisfaction in the ranks of the party, and it was therefore clearly understood that

ranks of the party, and it was therefore clearly understood that
THE CONTEST IN THE CAUCUS
would be between Mr. George R. Dennis and the present incumbent, George Vickers. The caucus met promptly at eight o'clock and immediately proceeded to business, and, upon the second oalot, bennis was nominated, receiving 58 votes against 31 for Vickers.

MR. GEORGE R. DENNIS,
who has to-night been nominated in caucus and will to-morrow be elected by the Legislature as United States Senator to succeed senator Vickers, for six years from the 4th of March, 1872, was born in 18:2, in wortester county, Maryland, and is consequently now nity years of age. He is descended from a family long and tavorably known in the nistory of the State and of the country, several members of winch have been representatives in Congress, one of them as early as 1795, and held many other positions of distinction. Mr. Dennis has had considerable legislative experience. He was State Senator in 1856, in the Lower House in 1657, and he was this fail again elected to the state Senate for a term of four years. He was also one of the collegates at large for the State of Marvland at Schale for a term of four years. He was also one of the delegates at large for the State of Maryland at

Senate for a term of four years. He was also one of the delegates at large for the State of Maryland at the Convention which NoMINATED SEYMOUR AND BLAIR IN 1868 in New Yors city and was a physician of iarge practice, but for many years he has devoted number to agricultural pursuits, always taking an active interest in the political and financial affairs of the State. Before the war he was an old line whig, and ever since the dissolution of that party he has been in earnest accord with the principles of the democracy. Personally, Air, Dennis is exceedingly popular, his affable manner and high social quanties and liberal hospitality surrounding him with troops of true and eathustastic friends. He wields great influence in the politics of the State, which is not the less certainty left because it is quietly and unostentationsly expressed. He is possessed of great chergy and decision of character, and is a man of large intelligence and engaging manners. He is president of the Eastern Shoregitalized, and also a director in the Baitmore and onto Railroad, and is as largely identified with the material interests of the State as any man in it. He has imothed little of the fold families of Marylaud, and is a the fold families of Marylaud, and is a the climber of the last mothed little of the fold families of Marylaud, and is a

THE OLD FOGY CHARACTERISTICS that cling to the old lamines of Maryland, and is a live man, attoogra and to beast of as good and ancient blood as any man in the state. He has twice refused the Gubernatorial nomination, and has never sought out the high distinction which has just been awarded him. He is looked upon as a man that will do the State service as a Senatorial representative and himself good credit. It is understood that the friends of Governor Wayte have arranged for him so lar as faith can be put in political affairs. The vacancy to exist two years hence, upon the expiration of the term of the other Maryland Senator. Hon. W. T. Bamilton, is the price of his withdrawal from the contest.

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 18, 1872. Excursion tickets for the round trip will be sold o parties attending the meeting, of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows at Mobile on the 5th proximo by the Mobile and Ohio and the Mobile and Mont-

The Court of investigation into the charges brought against Harbor Master Daniel Hart was yesterday adjourned until half-past ten o'clock this morning, in consequence of the indisposition of Port Captain Jones.

### THE NEW LOAN.

Card from Jay Cooke-The Proposal to Take Six Bundred Million Dollars of the Government L'onds.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18, 1872. The following is a statement of facts in relation to the proposal to take six hundred millions of the

the proposal to take six hundred millions of the new loan:

Some portions of the press of this and other cities having expressed doubts as to the reality of the recent proposition made to the Secretary of the Treasury by myself, in behalf of Jay Cooke, McCulloch & Co., and Roshschilds & Sons of London, I deem it proper to say that such proposition and under such authority from London was made in entire good faith, and the parties interested are ready to carry out promptly the negotiations as soon as the Secretary of the Treasury is able to comply with its tell ms and shall conclude to accept the proposition.

The facts are these:—About the 22d of December J. Cooke, McCulloch & Co., of London, after a conference with the Messrs. Rothschild, agreed upon a loint proposition as follows:—To take \$50,000,000 of the new two per cent loan on or before the list of February next, with the option of \$50,000,000 more during this year, and should Congress accede to the Secretary's recommendation and make the interest payable in London then to take an additional \$200,000,000 of the fives and \$300,000,000 of the four-and-a-halfs, on or before the close of 1873. The negotiation is, with the exception of one amendment—to make the interest payable in London—to be on the precise terms, as to time and mode of payment, commissions, &c. as was granted in the \$130,000,001 negotiation. The Secretary also was required to notify, from time to time, payments of future sums of six per cent bonds precisely as before.

This proposition was telegraphed to me, and I sent a special messenger to Washington with it, and it was presented to Secretary Bouwell on the morning of the 23d utilino. Mr. Richards-in also telegraphed to the Secretary from London a duplicate of the proposition on the same day. My brother, Governor Cooke, telegraphed to me from Washington, after his audience with the Secretary, that the proposition was a sing qua non.

As soon as the letters arrived from London containing the particulars of the arrangements with the Secreta

the Sounscands and the fail text of the proposition I copied the same and forwarded the documents to the Secretary, where they now are on file awaiting his action. I regret exceedingly that Mr. Boutwell, when asked by reporters and others as to the truth of the romors, did not state what had occurred. But this is not our fault and we are not willing to have our good name and consistent course brought into question, and, therefore, give all the facts as above.

above.

The proposition was made, just as telegraphed from London, in entire good faith, and will be promptly worked out to a successful termination as soon as worked out to a successful termination as soon as Mr. Boutwell gives us and those who are associated with us the power to act. The whole \$600,000,000, In my opinion, can be lunded into four-and-a-half and live per cents during the present year, which, together with what has already been done, will save nearly ten millions of dollars per annum to the Treasury.

JAY COOKE.

#### WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19-1 A. M. Synopsis for the l'ast Twenty-four Hours,

The barometer since Wednesday has continued to move slowly southeastward, with falling pressure The parameter had risen in the Middle and Eastern States, and clear weather now generally succeeds the clear weather has prevailed for a short time throughout the Atlantic states. Pailing barometer, with cloud and snow, prevails from New York and New Jersey westward to Wisconsin, and fresh southwest winds have been generally reported. Clear weather continues on the Pacific coast. An area of low pressure, accompanied with rain, has passed northeast ward over Texas, and is now followed by brisk and cold north winds.

Rising barometer, with cloudy and clearing weather, is probable for Friday for a portion of the Middle Atlantic States; but threatening weather will prevail generally east of the Mississippi; an area of low barometer develop from Texas to lowa, and extend northwestward to Michigan; cloud and rain prevail with southeasterly winds on the Gulf and east Atlantic coasts, east of the Missssippi; northwesteriy winds in Louisiana and Texas. Dangerous winds are not anticipated to-

The Weather in This City Yesterday. The following record will show the changes in the temperature for the past twenty-four hours, in comparison with the corresponding day of last year, as ndicated by the thermometer at Hudnut's Pharmacy,

night except for the Texas coast.

HERALD Building, corner of Ann street: -

### THE HERALD AND DR. LIVINGSTONE. (From the Irish Times, Jan. 6.)

of the New York HERALD, at his own cost and charges, prepared an expedition into the heart of Livingstone. What the British government refused to undertake an American journal has more than half accomplished. The expedition consisted of three white men and 109 soldiers, gnards and carriers. The distance actually travel ed during the period from March to the beginning of July was 525 miles into the interior. We regret to say that but vague tiems of intelligence were gleaned. The accounts units in stating that Livingstone was "now an with a long white beard and very fat," but they differ in important details-he had shot himself in the thigh; he had his shoulder put out of toint in a fight with a lion; his men had all deserted him, and he had no goods: he had gone with some Arabs to the North, to Lake Marisema, &c. The editor of the NEW YORK HERALD believes that Livingstone and the chief of the expedition will proba-

#### bly reach the Mediterranean by the Nile, if the waters of Lake Marisema really flow into that river. Personal Intelligence.

Baron Bunsen, of Berlin, is registered at the Clar-

United States Senator A. H. Cragin, of New Hampshire, is domiciled at the Westmoreland Hotel. General George P. Morgan, of Tennessee, is among the late arrivals at the Coleman House.

Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, is staying at the St. General J. D. Emory and Major D. W. Colvin, of Geneva, N. Y., are at the Sturtevant House. General M. O. H. Norton, of New Orleans, 13 quar-

tered at the New York Hotel. Colonel F. N. Lord, of Governor Hoffman's staff, is sojourning at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. William H. Seward, Jr., of Auburn, is again at the St. Micholas Hotel.

General H. D. Cooke, of Kansas, is among the are arrivals at the Westmoreland Hotel. State Prison Inspector F. L. Laftin, or Saugerties, is among the late arrivals at the Metropolitan Hotel Mr. Constantin Catacazy and wife are to sail for

Mr. John Swinton, the well-known journalist and able historian of the Rebellion, has been for some days confined to his bed. His brother, Professor Swinton, of the University of California, is in at-

### TELEGRAPHIC NEWS ITEMS.

The extensive agricultural works of Younglove, Massey A Co., in Cieve and, were almost entirely descrived by tree las night. Loss, from seventy to seventy-dive thousand dollars insurance, \$40,000.

Insurance, \$60,000.

A lively commotion exists in political circles in Kaneas, caused by an \*xp--e in the Lawrence Standard yesterday morning which says nineteen members of the last State Leg institute were brided to vote for Caldwell for United States Senator last winter, and states the sum paid to each member. Gabriel Shiftester, one of the West Foltz Band, has been missing since January 9. It is believed that he has met with four play. When last seen he was at Cold Spring, N. Y. wearing the uniform pants and cap and citizen's coat. wearing the uniform pants and cap and citizen's coal. The arguments in the Lankruptey case of The Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Lafayette Kaiirond va. The Bank of Lawrence.urz, were concluded in New Albary, Inu., vesterday atternoon. Judge Gresbam took the case under advisement and will not render a needston for several days.

"The City Kills at Danville Junction, Auburn, Me., owned by Dingley, Foos & Co., took fire yesterday afternoon and were totally destroyed, with their contents, including several thousand bushels of wheat and corn and several hundred barrels of Gour. The loss is \$35,000; insured for \$12,000, mainly in Bangor offices.

Mrs. Cornells Burge, wife of Cantain Thomas F. Surke,

mainly in Bangor offices.

Mrs. Cornelia Burke, wife of Capitain Thomas F. Burke, was burned to death at her boarding house, in Church street, Hertford, Coun., vesterday forenoon. She was alone in her room and in some way not known her clothing caught fire, and she ran down stairs in a blaze and fell dead in the titchen. The clothespress in her room was found to be on the and it was nacegary to call out the steamer to pave the buggitne.

Mountaineers.

Hearty Reception by the Citizens-A Visit to the Legislature and Local Lions of Denver-The St. Petersburg Story of the Duke's Marriage a Good Joke.

THE GRAND DUKE'S PROGRESS.

A Day with the Colorado

DENVER, Col., Jan. 18, 1872. Duke Alexis and General Sheridan have been most heartily entertained here to-day by the sturdy and hospitable mountaineers of the Colorado Terriobject of attraction and honor, on account of the presence of an imperial visitor being more rare than that of a general the American army. His reception has not embraced all the pomp and splendor of those ovations in the Eastern cities; but the demonstrations were, nevertheless, as hearty on the part of the people, and there has also been manifested the same curiosity here to gaze upon a real Duke as there was in New York two months ago. The fatigue of a long ranroad journey was not favorable for

AN EARLY RISE this morning, and it was considerably after the hour of noon before His Imperial Highness had The same may also be said finished breaklast. arrangements for the day's entertainment of the visitors contemplated little else than a drive around the principal points of interest in the city, and an opportunity for them to meet the various members of the Territorial Legislature now in session here. The legislators, accompanied by Governor McCook, called early in the atternoon, and all of the members were, in turu,

presented to the Ducai tourist. ALEXIS IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Among the members were several Mexicans, whose contrasting appearance and manners with those of the unadulterated Anglo. Saxons attracted several inquiries concerning their apulties as counsellors or representatives of their people.

He conversed freely and at considerable length with nearly every member of the legislative body. and when the members withdrew, it was with one common impression that the young Russian visitor was really the intelligent gentleman that he is was one of rare pleasure. The weather was most charming, the atmosphere clear and bracing, and every other element of nature combined was favorable for a delightful view of the lofty Rocky Mountains, of which the Duke said he had read and heard so much. Proceeding a mue or

two into the suburbs PIKE'S PEAK LOOMED UP conspicuously in the south, and the party paused for a considerable time to view its lotty proportions. West Denver was also visited, and a short stop made at the extensive brewery of the Denver Ale Company. The whole operation of brewing was most minutely shown and described to the Grand Duke, and before leaving he refreshed himself with a graught or two of some of the choicest productions of the establishment. The Holly Water Works were also visited, where it is presumed the distinguished visitor partook in udicious quantities of some of that beverage known as "Adam's ale," as well as a few other fluids, which were freely dispensed at a collation furnished after an inspection of the water works and the powerful machinery employed to force the

water into the city. As

A FITTING FINALE to the day's enjoyment there has been a grand ball this evening in honor of the Duke and General Sheridan. It was given in the dining halt of the American House, under the auspices of the Pioneer Club, an organization composed exclusively of the early settlers of Colorado and the Rocky Mountain territory. There were some two hundred couple present, and the occasion was of that joyial carnival nature peculiar to festive gatherings in this section of the country. The ball room was not too elaborately decorated, but a single American and a single Russian flag told the story that the guest of the evening was welcome. Among those present, besides Alexis and General Sheridan and their immediate suites, were Governor McCook, ex-Governor Evans, the various members of the Legislature and such prominent citizens as W. S. Cheesman, Mr. Moffat, the banker, and others. There was also a brilliant array of ladies, and their totlets were in many instances very elegant and costly. The festivities were continued until after midnight, and there were few dances which the Duke failed to mingle in. To-morrow the visitor

WILL VISIT GOLDEN CITY AND CLEAR CREEK CANYON. by invitation of the Colorado Central Railroad, returning in the afternoon and leaving in the evening on the Kansas Pacific road for Jefferson City and St.

The story from St. Petersburg, that the Duke has married an American lady, contrary to his father's wishes, is treated as a good joke, and, of course, it

#### is too ridiculous to receive dental. NAVAL ITEMS.

The furry about Spain and war has subsided. The tron-clads Mahopac and Canonicus will doubtlessly be put in commission, the former at Washington and the latter at Philadelphia, and both will be sent to Norfolk, Va., to await events. It is possible they may go to Key West. But the other four tron-clads at Philadelphia will be held in readiness. The

at Philadelphia will be held in readiness. The United States steamer Omaha is slowly progressing, and will doubtless be readly by May. The Powhatan will of course have to convoy the two fronclads. She can be readly in forty days. The Richmond progresses slowly. No one expects her readly for four mouths.

In naval circles here we have the rumor that Rear Admiral T. A. Jenkins has been ordered to proceed to the East Inites and relieve Rear Admiral John Rogers from the command of that squadron; also that Rear Admiral Taylor has been directed to hold himself in readiness to proceed to Rio Janeiro and relieve Rear Admiral Lanman from the command of the Brazil squadron. The vacancy in the Light House Board caused by the detachment of Rear Admiral Jenkins will be filled by some retired officer.

ordered to navigation duty in the Boston Navy Yard: Lieutenant Commanders Charles L. Hunting ton, E. M. Sheppard, C. M. Schoonmaker and ton, E. M. Sheppard, C. M. Schoolmaker and George E. Wingate, and Lieutenants John Brice and A. J. Iverson have been ordered to torpedo duty; First Assistant Engineer John P. Keiley has been ordered to the naval station at League Island; Lieutenant E. L. Amory has been detached from the Boston Navy Yard and ordered to torpedo duty.

Lieutenant Commander Frank Wildes has beek

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